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April was a very busy month for Chapter T. We have enjoyed riding, going to a windy and cold picnic, our "Spring Fling", our dinner ride to eat barbeque, the Georgia Rally and the Tennessee Rally. Our very own comedy team, Tommy, Sid, Ralph, Jim and Gary won 2nd place in the talent show at the Georgia Rally, but then they took the show on the road to Tennessee, Gary and Jim were replaced by Garland and Jeff, at the Tennessee Rally they won "First Place". The guys are already planning their next routine.



May is going to be another busy month. Our first chapter ride is Saturday, May 7th. We are going to Augusta to deliver the "Hot Potato". We need as many of you to ride with us to deliver the prize. You do need to be on your bike/trike for this ride. We will meet at the Race Trac, stands up at 9:00AM. Please be sure your gas tank is full before we take off.

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Monthly Gathering - First Thursday of each Month at:
Ryan's Steak House 1021
Dowdy Rd., Athens, GA 30606
We join to eat at 6:00 PM and the

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Our chapter cruise is May 13 – 22. For those of you that are not going on the cruise, the Alabama Rally is May 19 – 21. Our monthly dinner meet and eat is on the 24th. I will send out the details later. We also have planned an overnight ride to Lake Lure, more details to come.

Looking ahead we have more picnics, camping trips, ice cream runs and rides coming up for you. I hope you join us for the fun and the rides.

"You have to participate to enjoy Chapter Life"
Next Monthly Gathering..... Thursday, March 3rd at:
Ryan's, 1021 Dowdy Road Athens, GA 30606
(706) 543-8203
We eat at 6:00PM and meet at 7:00PM.

Ride Safe and Have Fun,
Debbie and Ralph Stewart
Chapter T Directors
2013 Couple of the Year
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Rallies are Fun!

If you have never been to a G.W.R.R.A you should consider it. Going to a rally is a good place to make new friends from other chapters. Participate in a variety educational classes. Be able to go on road trips around the rally area. You can participate in contests and raffles. Check out the products at the vendors area. Or you may want to explore the local points of interests such as Museums, Parks and Historical sites.

Debbie and I went to the Georgia rally in Dalton and we had a enjoyable time. We went out to eat at local restaurants with the chapter, shopped at the vendors area and found some treasures. We decided to explore the surrounding area and went to the Tunnel Hill Museum and saw where part of the great locomotive chase took place during the civil war. The tour of the Tunnel Hill area and museum was guided by local history buffs and it was very informative. Next time consider attending a Rally, I think you be glad you did.

Gary and Debbie Lewis, C.O.Y.

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Adventures of Dumbo

After leaving Sid & Donna's house, I got to go home with a new family. I have been living at Garland and Charleen's house since the last Chapter gathering but Charleen is the one that has to take care of me. She took me out for Barbeque in Watkinsville, GA where we met lots of other people wearing those red shirts.

Next, she took me to something called a Spring Fling where lots of people were wearing all colors of shirts. I helped her take everybody's money so they could eat sloppy joes and play games. She tried to win me a cake but she wasn't very lucky so she just gave me a cookie.

I thought I would get to hang out at home for a while but we were busy all week after Spring Fling preparing for another event called Wing Fling or Georgia District Rally. We had a great time in Dalton, GA hanging out at the Goodie Sales table. We saw lots of old friends and met many new ones. We sold them little patches and pins to put on their vest so they could look like GWRRA members. Oh, and I can't forget to tell everyone about the fantastic restaurant that Tommy took us to in Chatsworth. It was called Edna's and it was delish! Oh, and it was cheap to so let's go back for a Chapter ride real soon.

I was just told that we have to hurry up and finish this article because we have to wash our dirty clothes from the Georgia Wing Fling and repack our bags because we are headed to Tennessee's Spring Fling XXXIV in Pigeon Forge, TN. Can't wait to see what trouble we get into there. I think Charleen said we are going to be riding the trike a lot and we are having dinner with Dolly Parton at the Dixie Stampede.

If Charleen doesn't leave me on the back of the trike like she did the rolls, I will tell you all about that trip at the next Chapter gathering.

See you there,

Dumbo



Chapter 's Spring Fling

We had a great turn-
2016 spring Fling.
the support of our

Our event was a suc-
credit that to our Vis-
fed over 100 mem-



out at Chapter T's
We really appreciate
Chapter Members.

cess and we have to
iting Chapters. We



bers Sloppy Joe's with
all the fixings. We had
some awesome cakes
that were taken home
from the cake walk.

The Games and Door
Prizes were a big hit as well. Chapter D



presented
Chapter-T Hot
Potato and
Chapter F2
captured the District Travelers Plaque
from Chapter T.

I think everyone
that attended really had a great time.

Thanks Again to all the Chapter T Members
for all your hard work!



Chapter T's Meet & Eat

At JB's Smoking Pig

Wow what a good time we had at BJ's ! There were 18 Chapter members that came out on Tuesday evening to have diner at BJ's Smoking Pig in Watkinsville, GA. The out side dining area was very great. The service was just awesome! We ordered inside and SHAZAM it was brought to us in a flash and the food was good too. The owner came out to make sure everything was ok and took some special request for some of the members. I am looking forward to going back to see what he comes up with for them. Jeff Crowell went home with a up of some special sauce compliments of the owner. They were very nice folks and I recommend that you stop by and pay them a visit.



Weather:

Do you look at the Ride Calendar on the Chapter's Website - www.chapter.t.gwr-ra-ga.com and then look at the Weather on TV or the Weather Channel and decide not to ride?

Did you know when the authorities (Weather People) announce that there is 30% Chance of Rain that they are talking about the area that "might" get wet and not that there is a 30% Chance it will Rain over the entire area.

So, next time when you look at the Weather Channel and you're in a quandary whether to ride just because there's a "slight" chance it might rain - come on out and ride with us and let's see if we can dodge a few drops.

Garland

From Your Chapter Ride Coordinator

Hello brothers and sisters of Chapter T

April was a very busy month. We had our Fun Day and by the way a special thanks to all of our members for your participation. Our Fun Day was a huge success. I think everyone was there other than the sick. We then took off to Dalton for the Georgia Rally and the very next weekend was the Tennessee Rally in Pigeon Forge. What a busy month of riding, fun, fellowship and of course food.

Coming up in May: on May 7 I think we will be taking a little ride east to Augusta for lunch with Chapter F2, after that we will be going on our Chapter T cruise from May 13 thru 22. On May 24th we will have a dinner ride, we will announce the location later. If you have any suggestions please let Debbie know.

I can't wait until June it will be a blast also. We will be going on a picnic, also planning a camping trip just to name a few things we are planning for you.

If you are not having fun you must not be participating with us because we are having a blast.

Hope to see you on the road,

Ralph

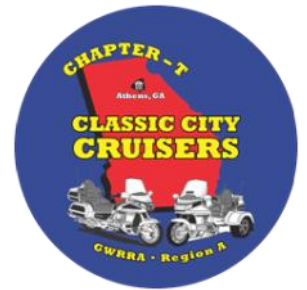
CLASSIFIEDS

All ads must be submitted by a current GWRRA Member. Ads will run in the Newsletter for three months unless notified of the sale of the items listed. It is the responsibility of the owner to notify the Newsletter Editor when an item sales.

For sale 2004 Honda Gold Wing with Champion trike kit,
71,000 miles, CB, Diamond Seat, LED lights, and more. Well maintained. Two full face Nolan helmets, all riding gear and 2001 black Escapade trailer. Always garaged kept. 18,000.00 or best offer. Contact Mike Fields at 706-202-4535, or at fieldsmike@bellsouth.net



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Splinters in her crotch.....this is clean/funny!

A woman from Los Angeles, who was a tree hugger, a liberal Democrat, and an anti-hunter, purchased a piece of timberland near Colville, WA.

There was a large tree on one of the highest points in the tract. She wanted a good view of the natural splendor of her land, so she started to climb the big tree.

As she neared the top, she encountered a spotted owl that attacked her. In her haste to escape, the woman slid down the tree to the ground and got many splinters in her crotch.

In considerable pain, she hurried to a local ER to see a doctor. She told him she was an environmentalist, a Democrat, an anti-hunter and how she came to get all the splinters. The doctor listened to her story with great patience, and then told her to go wait in the examining room and he would see if he could help her.

She sat and waited three hours before the doctor reappeared. The angry woman demanded, "What took you so long?"

He smiled and then told her, "Well, I had to get permits from the Environmental Protection Agency, the Forest Service, and the Bureau of Land Management before I could remove old-growth timber from a "recreational area" so close to a waste treatment facility. I'm sorry, but due to Obama Care...they turned you down."

Team / Group Riding Continued

It is important that we prepare our selves as well as our bike for all rides. As for ourselves we need to be mentally as well as physically prepared. **Emotions** and **Stress** can play a big park on your mental preparedness. **Medications** can also play a big part as well. So if you have prescription medications you take, please make sure that you to take them as prescribed. Lets remember as Riders are in control of the motorcycle and our safety as well as the safety of our Co-Riders and Fellow Riders in the group is dependant upon our Preparation and Riding skills.

So please don't straddle the saddle if you are up set or if it just don't feel right. Follow your gut feeling, it could save someone's life!

Remember the Rider Education Motto: **Safety is for Life!**

Ride Safe

Tommy

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 7th Chapter Ride

May 14th - 16th Alabama District Rally
Eufaula, AL

May 24th Chapter Meet & Eat
Location TBA

July 14th - 16th South Carolina District Rally
Anderson, SC

Aug. 31st - Sept. 3rd Wing Ding
Billings, MO

October 27th - 29th Region "A" Rally
Eufaula, AL

October 13th - 15th Mississippi District Rally
Gulfport, MS

As usual please watch your email or listen for a phone call for more information on rides and activities.



None Reported



Betty Andrade	May 18th
Glenn Argo	May 26th
Joyce Argo	May 2nd
Phyllis Barnett	May 12th
Sid Cohen	May 1st
Cody Dawley	May 18th
Charleen Dennis	May 12th

GWRRA ANNIVERSARY

Our Sick Folks



Diann Baldwin
Linda Fields
Jim Stogden (Surgery)
Sid Cohen



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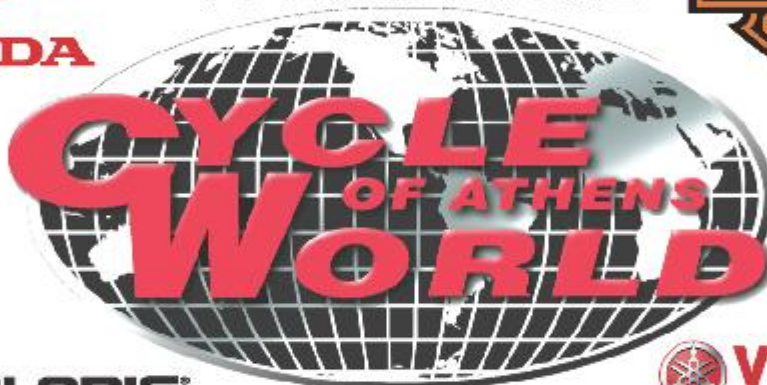
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May 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5 Chapter Gathering	6	7 Chapter Ride Stands Up 9am
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19 Alabama	20 District	21 Rally
22	23	24 Chapter Meet & Eat	25	26	27	28 Tentatively Over Night Ride
29	30	31				

June 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 Chapter T Gathering	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		